# **CHAPTER NO. 17**

# **HOUSE BILL NO. 1931**

# By Representatives Kisber, McDaniel

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1934

# By Senator Carter

AN ACT to amend Chapter 101 of the Private Acts of 1993; and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to the Charter of the City of Jackson, Tennessee, to increase the salary of City Council members.

# BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Chapter 101 of the Private Acts of 1993, and all other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by deleting Section 14 in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

Section 14. The Mayor shall have his office in the city hall. All meetings of the council shall be held in the city hall.

The salary for the Mayor shall be set by the council no less than one (1) year preceding the date of the next city election at a salary no less than the same salary paid the Madison County Executive the preceding fiscal year.

Members of the City Council shall be paid for the meetings they are required to attend, either as members of the council, members of the school board, or any other board upon which they serve by charter or by appointment of the council; however, committee meetings or attendance at the planning commission shall not be considered compensable meetings. The compensation shall be five hundred dollars (\$500.00) a meeting, or the amount paid the members of the Madison County Commission the preceding fiscal year, whichever is greater.

The council members shall not be eligible for retirement, pension, or insurance benefits.

SECTION 2 Nothing in this act shall be construed as having the effect of altering the salary of any incumbent prior to the end of the term for which such public officer was elected.

SECTION 3. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the City Council of the City of Jackson. Its approval or nonapproval shall be proclaimed by the presiding officer of the City Council of the City of Jackson and certified to the Secretary of State.

SECTION 4. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 3.

**PASSED: March 25, 1999** 

DIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

> JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 7th day of April 1999

DON SHADOUST GOVERNOR